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Transmitted herewith is a Response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 25, 2002, in the above-identified application.

- X Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27.
- <u>X</u> Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed (in duplicate).
- X No additional claims fee is required.
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed February 25, 2002, consideration of the following remarks is respectfully requested. A response to the Office Action was originally due March 25, 2002. Applicants submit herewith a Petition of Extension of Time to extend the time to reply to the Office Action for two months, until May 25, 2002. Accordingly, this Response is being timely filed.

REMARKS

Pending Claims

This application is a divisional of application Serial No. 08/349,357. In the transmittal accompanying the filing of the instant divisional application on January 9, 2001, the Office was requested to cancel original claims 1-12 and 35-59 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. Applicants submit, therefore, that 22 claims, namely claims 13-34, are pending. The filing receipts mailed April 3, 2001 and